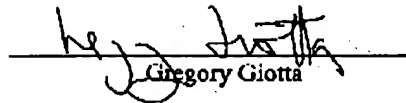


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Docket No. ONYX1034-CON

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re Application**

Inventors: Paul Polakis, et al

SC/Serial No.: 10/053,422

Filed: November 2, 2001

Title: Compositions and Methods for
Diagnosing/Treating Disease Based
on Beta-Catenin Transcription
Factor Interaction

PATENT APPLICATION

Examiner: Shin Lin CHEN

Art Unit 1632

Confirmation No. 7194

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

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Sir:

Applicants hereby request Three (3) Month Extension of Time for the Office Action dated May 2, 2003. A shortened period for response was set to expire on August 2, 2003. With this extension, the period is re-set to expire on Monday, November 3, 2003 (as November 2, 2003 falls on Sunday).

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The amount of the petition fee set by 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is determined as follows:

Fee Small Entity/Large EntityExtended Month☒ \$475.00/950.00

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TOTAL PETITION FEE \$475.00

The TOTAL PETITION FEE is included with the payment of other papers filed together with this petition.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0615 for any matter in connection with this response, including any fee for extension of time, which may be required.

The other papers enclosed or associated with this communication include:

☒ A reply to the Office Action dated May 2, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 3, 2003

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